



US Army Corps
of Engineers
Seattle District

Public Notice of Application for Permit

Regulatory Branch
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Seattle, Washington 98124-3755
Telephone (206) 764-3495
ATTN: Susan Powell, Project Manager

Public Notice Date: March 3, 2006
Expiration Date: April 3, 2006
Reference: 200500750
Name: WA State Dept of
Fish and Wildlife

Interested parties are hereby notified that an application has been received for a Department of the Army permit in accordance with Section 10 of the Rivers and Harbors Act of 1899, and Section 404 of the Clean Water Act for certain work described below and shown on the enclosed drawings.

APPLICANT: WA State Dept of Fish and Wildlife
600 Capitol Way North
Olympia, Washington
ATTN: Curtis Wambach
Telephone: (360) 902-8426

LOCATION: In the Sammamish River at 17150 68th Avenue Northeast, Kenmore, Washington.

WORK: Replace an existing deteriorated concrete boat launch ramp with a double ramp design that will include a gangway and float structure on each side of the boat ramp.

PURPOSE: Improve the existing deteriorated boat ramp, as well as increase the launching capacity of the facility to increase launching efficiency for the boating public at the facility.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Work outside of U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (Corps) jurisdiction includes paving for a runway to the boat launch, a wheelchair path, two ADA accessible parking stalls, and wheelchair paths; and construction of wheelchair accessible vault toilet.

MITIGATION: Washed river rock will be placed on 2,300 square feet of mud and crushed gravel river bottom to improve near-shore habitat for juvenile salmonids. Six logs with root wads will be placed at the shoreline. Forested riparian wetlands will be created at the shoreline, above ordinary high water.

ENDANGERED SPECIES: The Endangered Species Act (ESA) requires federal agencies to consult with the National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS) and/or U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) pursuant to Section 7 of ESA on all actions that may affect a species listed (or proposed for listing) under the ESA as threatened or endangered or any designated critical habitat. The bald eagle, (*haliaeetus leucocephalus*), threatened, Chinook salmon (*Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*) threatened, and coastal/Puget Sound bull trout (*Salvelinus confluentus*) threatened in the state of Washington, occur in the proposed project area.

After receipt of comments from this public notice, the Corps will evaluate the potential impacts to the bald eagle, Chinook salmon, and bull trout.

ESSENTIAL FISH HABITAT: The Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act, as amended by the Sustainable Fisheries Act of 1996, requires all Federal agencies to consult with the NMFS on all actions, or proposed actions, permitted, funded, or undertaken by the agency, that may adversely affect Essential Fish Habitat (EFH). The proposed action would impact approximately 0.1 acres of EFH for Pacific salmon in the project area.

If the Corps determines that the proposed action may adversely affect EFH for federally managed fisheries in Washington waters, the Corps will initiate EFH consultation with the NMFS. The Corps' final determination relative to project impacts and the need for mitigation measures is subject to review by and coordination with the NMFS.

CULTURAL RESOURCES: The District Engineer has reviewed the latest published version of the National Register of Historic Places, lists of properties determined eligible and other sources of information. There are no recorded historic properties within the permit area. The permit area has been so extensively modified by modern development that little likelihood exists for the proposed project to impinge upon an undisturbed historic property. The District Engineer invites responses to this public notice from Native American Nations or tribal governments; Federal, State, and local agencies; historical and archeological societies; and other parties likely to have knowledge of or concerns with historic properties in the area. This public notice initiates consultation under Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act (36 CFR 800.4[a][3]), with any Tribe that has information or concerns with historic properties in the proposed permit area.

PUBLIC HEARING: Any person may request, in writing, within the comment period specified in this notice, that a public hearing be held to consider this application. Requests for public hearings shall state, with particularity, the reasons for holding a public hearing.

EVALUATION: The decision whether to issue a permit will be based on an evaluation of the probable impacts, including cumulative impacts, of the proposed activity on the public interest. That decision will reflect the national concern for both protection and utilization of important resources. The benefits, which reasonably may be expected to accrue from the proposal, must be balanced against its reasonably foreseeable detriments. All factors which may be relevant to the proposal will be considered, including the cumulative effects thereof; among those are conservation, economics, aesthetics, general environmental concerns, wetlands, historic properties, fish and wildlife values, flood hazards, floodplain values, land use, navigation, shoreline erosion and accretion, recreation, water supply and conservation, water quality, energy needs, safety, food and fiber production, mineral needs, considerations of property ownership, and, in general, the needs and welfare of the people.

The Corps is soliciting comments from the public; Native American Nations or tribal governments; Federal, State, and local agencies and officials; and other interested parties in order to consider and evaluate the impacts of this activity. Any comments received will be considered by the Corps to determine whether to issue, modify, condition or deny a permit for the work. To make this decision, comments are used to assess impacts on endangered species, historic properties, water quality, general environmental effects, and the other public interest factors listed above. Comments are used in the preparation of an Environmental Assessment and/or an Environmental Impact Statement pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act. Comments are also used to determine the need for a public hearing and to determine the overall public interest of the activity.

The proposed discharge will be evaluated for compliance with guidelines promulgated by the Environmental Protection Agency under authority of Section 404(b)(1) of the Clean Water Act. These guidelines require an alternatives analysis for any proposed discharge of dredged or fill material into waters of the United States.

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ADDITIONAL EVALUATION: The State of Washington is reviewing this work for consistency with the approved Washington Coastal Zone Management Program and for compliance with the applicable State and Federal water quality standards pursuant to Section 401 of the Clean Water Act.

This proposal is the subject of a Shorelines Substantial Development Permit being processed by the city of Kenmore.

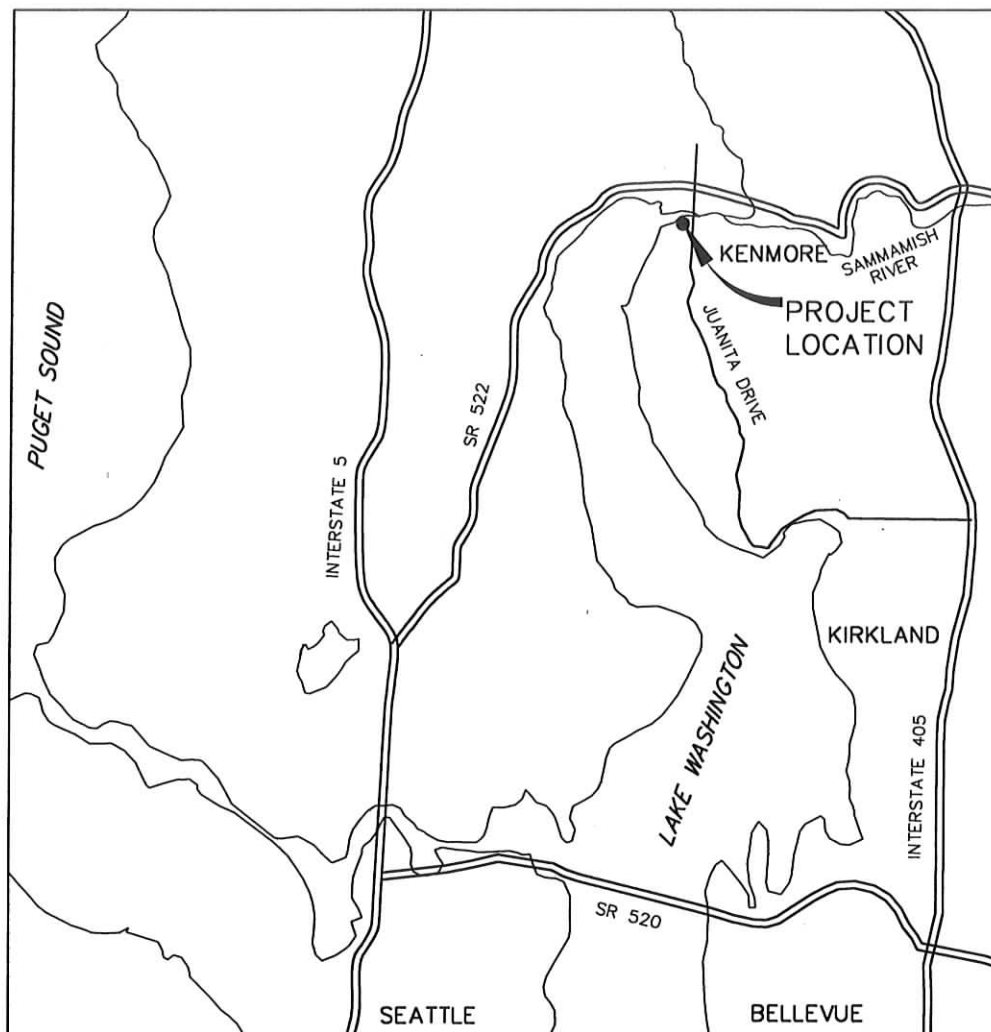
COMMENT AND REVIEW PERIOD: Conventional mail or e-mail comments on this public notice will be accepted and made part of the record and will be considered in determining whether it would be in the public interest to authorize this proposal. In order to be accepted, e-mail comments must originate from the author's e-mail account and must include on the subject line of the e-mail message the permit applicant's name and reference number as shown below. All e-mail comments should be sent to Susan.M.Powell@usace.army.mil. Conventional mail comments should be sent U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Regulatory Branch, Post Office Box 3755, Seattle, Washington, 98124-3755. Both conventional mail or e-mail comments must include the permit applicant's name and reference number, as shown below, and the commentor's name, address, and phone number. All comments whether conventional mail or e-mail must reach this office, no later than the expiration date of this public notice to ensure consideration. Please include the following name and reference number:

WA State Dept. of Fish and Wildlife, 200500750

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Drawings (7)

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REGULATORY

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VICINITY MAP NO SCALE

PURPOSE: ACCESS SITE REDEVELOPMENT
REPLACE RAMP, INSTALL FLOAT
AND SHORELINE MITIGATION

DATUM: NAVD88

ADJACENT PROPERTY OWNER:

1. INGLEWOOD VILLAGE #3 CONDOS
2. CITY OF KENMORE

ENG. PROJECT NO. KG: A247: 03-1

WASHINGTON DEPT. of FISH & WILDLIFE
600 CAPITOL WAY N.
OLYMPIA, WA 98501-1091

REFERENCE NO. 200500750

SITE: KENMORE ACCESS

ADDRESS: JUANITA DRIVE
KENMORE, WA

PROPOSED: ACCESS SITE REDEVELOPMENT

VICINITY MAP

IN: SAMMAMISH RIVER

NEAR: KENMORE

COUNTY OF: KING STATE: WA

PORTION OF: SEC. 11, T. 26 N, R. 4 E

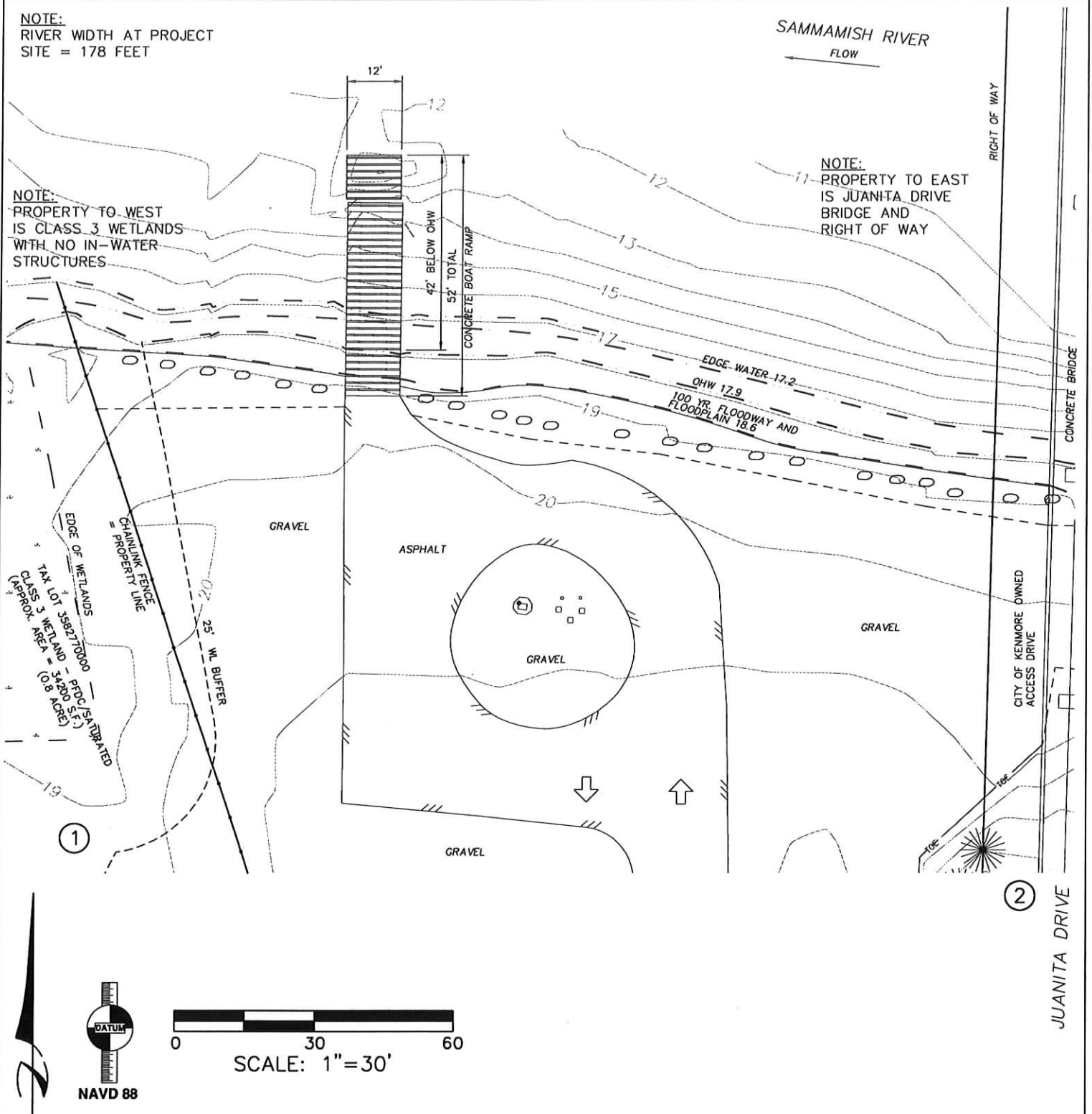
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NOTE:
RIVER WIDTH AT PROJECT
SITE = 178 FEET

NOTE:
PROPERTY TO WEST
IS CLASS 3 WETLANDS
WITH NO IN-WATER
STRUCTURES

NOTE:
PROPERTY TO EAST
IS JUANITA DRIVE
BRIDGE AND
RIGHT OF WAY



PURPOSE: ACCESS SITE REDEVELOPMENT
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PROPOSED: ACCESS SITE REDEVELOPMENT
EXISTING CONDITIONS
SITE PLAN

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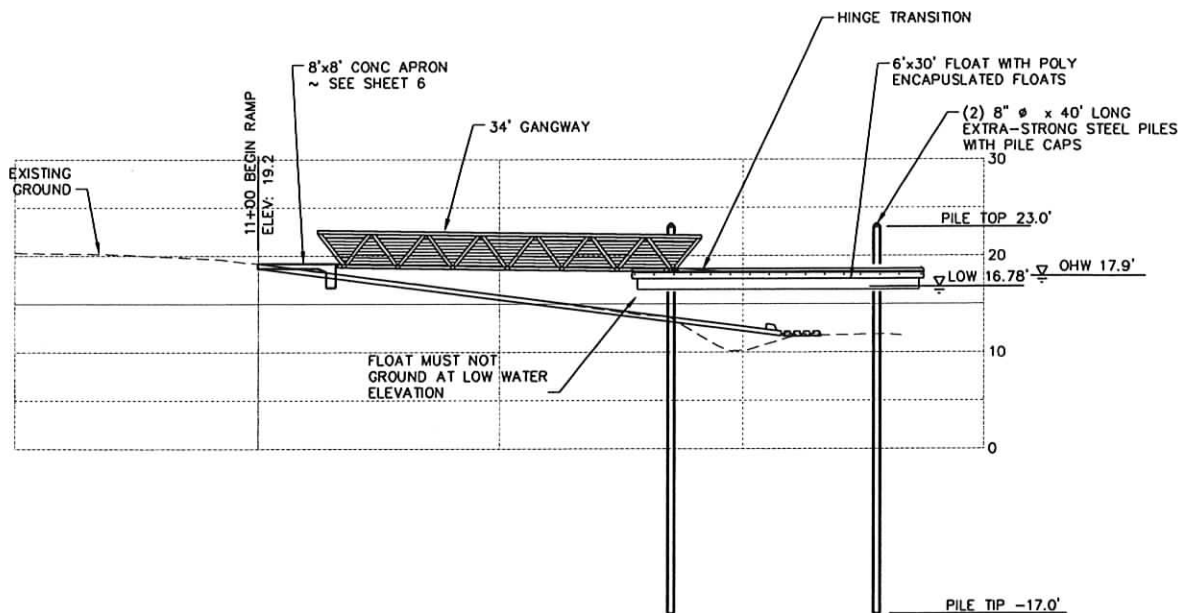
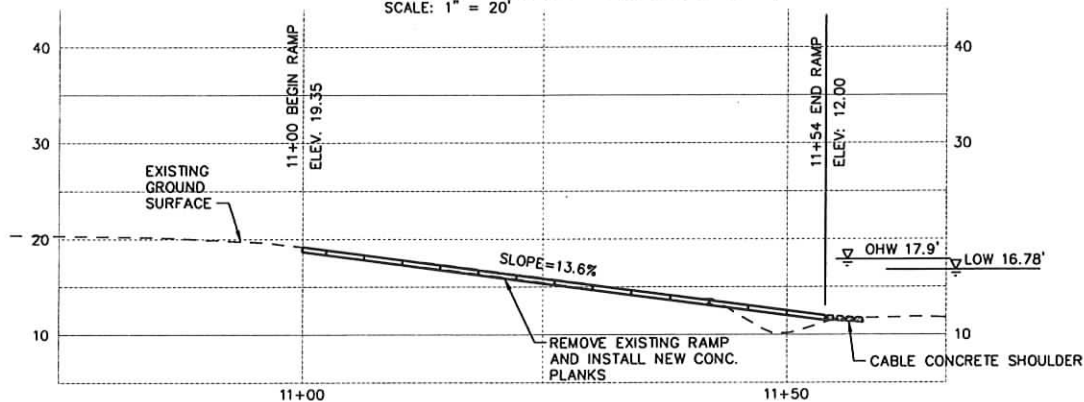
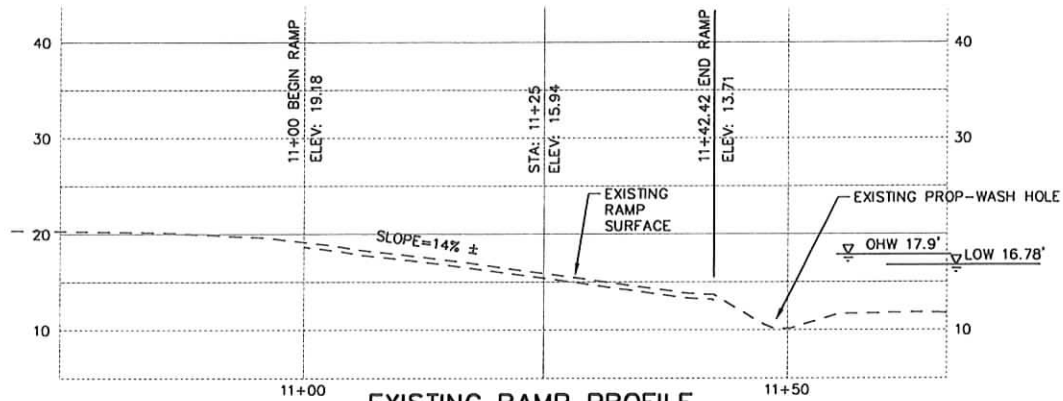
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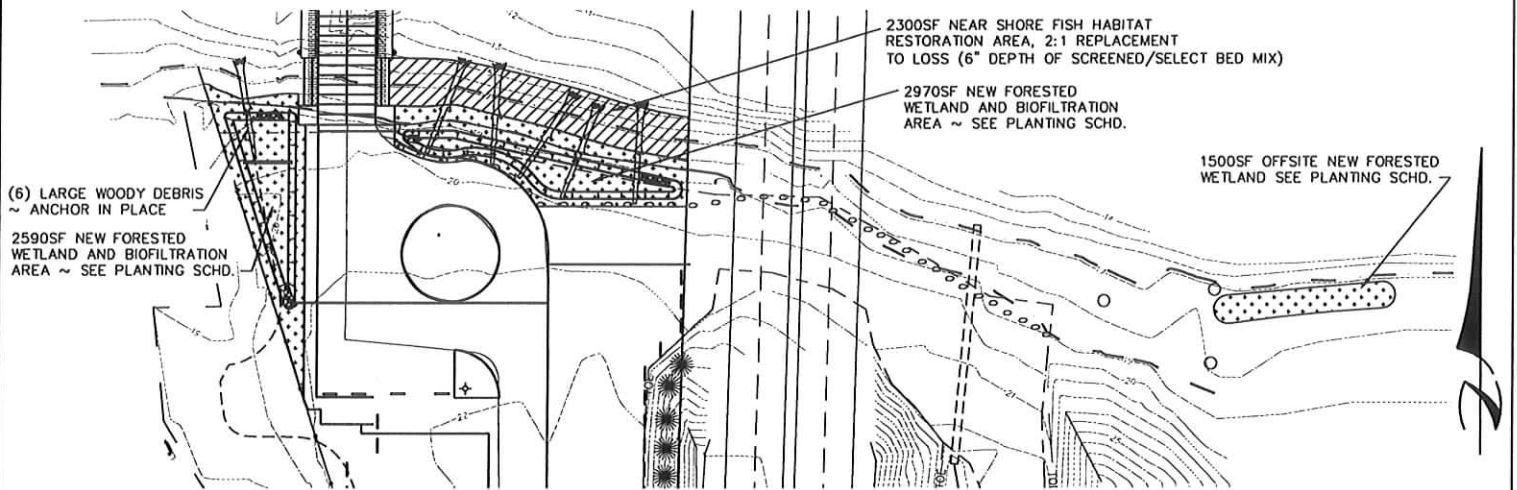
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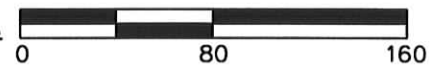
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APPLICANT:	WASHINGTON DEPT. of FISH & WILDLIFE
KENMORE ACCESS ACCESS SITE REDEVELOPMENT RAMP AND FLOAT PROFILES	
AT:	KENMORE, WASHINGTON
DATE:	11/16/2005
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NEW FORESTED WETLAND AND BIOFILTRATION AREA



Plant Density for Kenmore---Based on King County Standards

On-site mitigation

	Area	Density	Plants
Trees	5500	0.012	66
Shrubs	5500	0.028	154
Herbs	5500	0.06	330

Plant species

Plant species	Number	Container
Hard-stem Bulrush	100	bare root/1 gal
Western Buttercup	100	bare root/1 gal
Small-Fruited Bulrush	50	bare root/1 gal
Deer Fern	30	bare root/1 gal
Sword Fern	30	bare root/1 gal
Lady-fern	30	bare root/1 gal
Total	340	

Clustered rose	25 bare root/1 gal
Black Twin-berry	25 bare root/1 gal
Douglas Spirea	25 bare root/1 gal
Nootka Rose	25 bare root/1 gal
Vine Maple	25 bare root/1 gal
Salmonberry	25 bare root/1 gal
Osoberry	25 bare root/1 gal
Total	175

Scouler's Willow	1000 cuttings
Western red Cedar	20 bare root/1 gal
Oregon Ash	10 bare root/1 gal
Sitka Spruce	20 bare root/1 gal
Red Alder	10 bare root/1 gal
Douglas (Black) Hawthorn	20 bare root/1 gal
Total (not willow)	80

Off-site Mitigation

Area	Density	Plants
1500	0.012	18

Offsite

Sitka Spruce	10
Western red Cedar	10
Total	20

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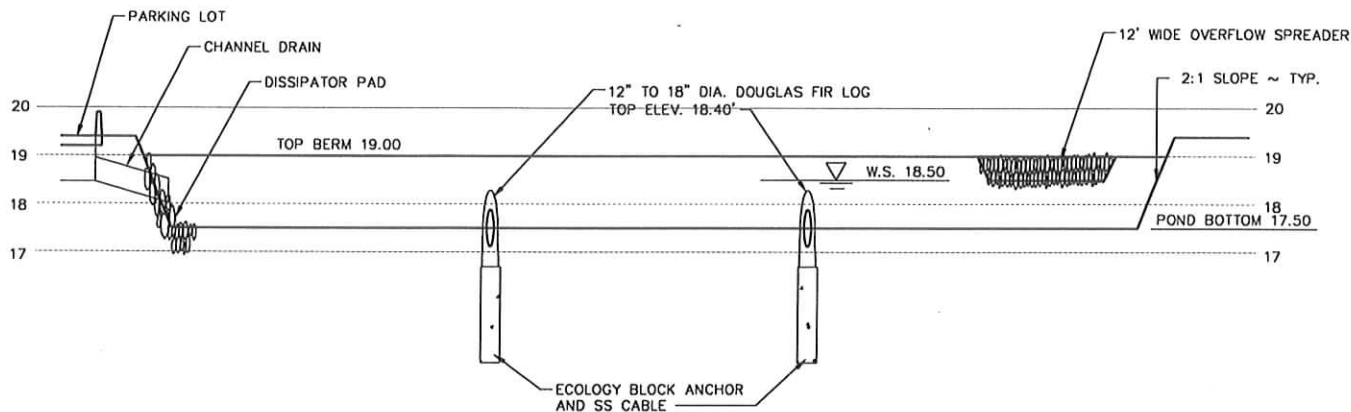
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ACCESS SITE REDEVELOPMENT
SITE PLAN AND IMPACTS

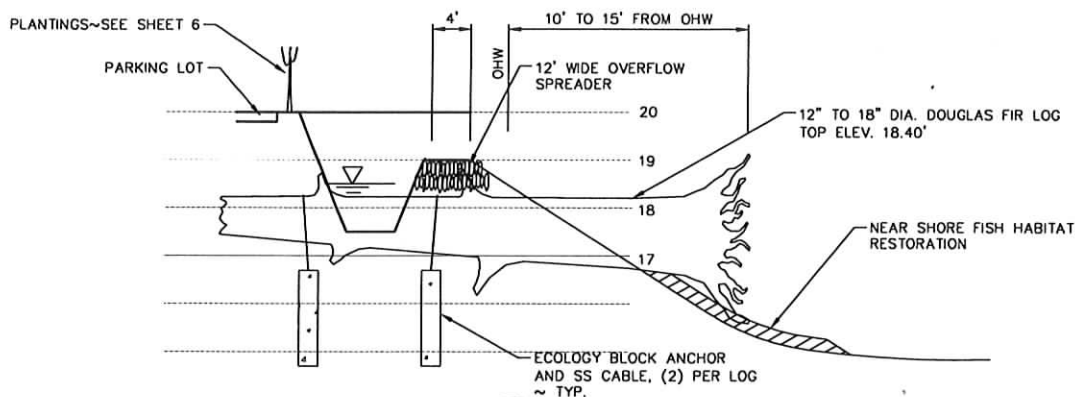
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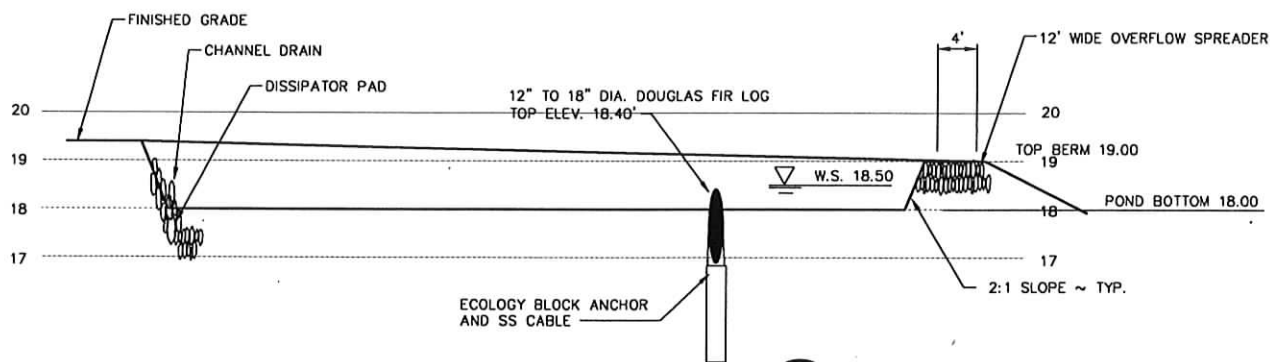
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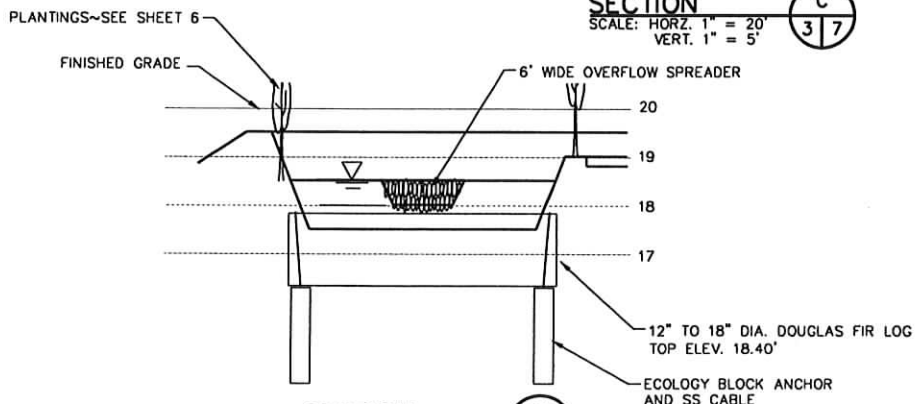
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VERT. 1" = 5'



SECTION B
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SECTION C
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SECTION D
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VERT. 1" = 5'

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APPLICANT:	WASHINGTON DEPT. of FISH & WILDLIFE
KENMORE ACCESS ACCESS SITE REDEVELOPMENT SECTIONS	
AT:	KENMORE, WASHINGTON
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STATE OF WASHINGTON
DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY

Notice of Application for
Water Quality Certification
and for
Certification of Consistency with the
Washington Coastal Zone Management Program

Date: March 03, 2006

Notice is hereby given that a request has been filed with the Department of Ecology, pursuant to the requirements of Section 401 of the federal Clean Water Act of 1977 (PL 95-217), to certify that the project described in the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Public Notice No. 200500750 will comply with the Sections 301, 302, 303, 306, and 307 of the Act, and with applicable provisions of State and Federal water pollution control laws.

Notice is hereby given that a request has been filed with the Department of Ecology, pursuant to the requirements of Section 307© of the Federal Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972 (16 U.S.C. 1451), to certify that the above referenced project will comply with the Washington State Coastal Zone Management Program and that the project will be conducted in a manner consistent with that program.

Any person desiring to present views on the project pertaining to the project on either or both (1) compliance with water pollution control laws or (2) the project's compliance or consistency with the Washington State Coastal Zone Management Program may do so by providing written comments within 30 days of the above publication date to:

Federal Permit Coordinator
Department of Ecology
SEA Program
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Olympia, Washington 98504-7600